



## The Irish Institute of Hellenic Studies at Athens (IIHSA) Travel bursaries 2020\*

The Irish Institute of Hellenic Studies at Athens (IIHSA) invites applications by students from Irish universities for the 2020 travel bursaries to Greece. Two bursaries are available to the value of € 600 each. The award is intended for travel expenses from Ireland to Athens and accommodation in the Institute's hostel (or equivalent) for the duration of a minimum of two weeks research in Greece. The bursary winners will also be awarded free IIHSA membership for the year, which entitles them to a year's (free) pass to archaeological sites, museums, and the libraries in Athens.

**Eligibility:** The Bursaries are open to students studying any aspect of Greek civilization (e.g. Greek and Roman Civilization, Archaeology, Classics) at an Irish University. Preference will be given to students undertaking a research project in their final undergraduate year (thesis or extended essay), or working on an MA or MSc thesis. Students at an early stage of their PhD will also be considered.

**Deadline:** Saturday **21<sup>th</sup> December** 2019 at 6 pm.

NB before applying students should ask their supervisor/module coordinator for permission to be away from their institutions for the period of the travel bursary. Applicants should be prepared to travel to Greece from March onwards and up to early June 2020 to ensure availability of a room at the Institute.

**Application procedure:** Applications are by email and should include the following:

1. A short research proposal explaining how a stay in Athens/Greece would be of benefit to the applicant's research project (maximum 1000 words);
2. The applicant's Curriculum Vitae

In addition, an academic reference should be submitted in a separate email by the student's research supervisor. The letter should arrive no later than the application deadline. The results will be communicated to the applicants in early February.

Applications and queries to: Dr Christina Haywood, Director, Irish Institute of Hellenic Studies at Athens. Email: [christina.haywood@ucd.ie](mailto:christina.haywood@ucd.ie)

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